



SATURDAY, MARCH 29, 1902

## JILTED BY MOONBEAM

Unhappy Love Affair Leads to Brave's Self-Destruction.

Cree Maiden Rejected Bear-Afraid-of-the-Wolf's Attentions and Then the Sioux Chief Cared to Live No More.

Red Blanket and several Cree Indians, who have been on a pilgrimage to the Bear Paw mountains, returned the other day to Havre, Mont., with the news of the tragic suicide of Bear-Afraid-of-the-Wolf, a full-blooded Sioux Indian, who killed himself with a shotgun. Indian tradition records that few instances of self-destruction, and the suicide will go into history as one of the few cases of its kind on record.

Chided by the members of his tribe, and rejected by Moonbeam, a princess of the much-despised Cree Indian nation, the ardent lover left his tribe camp. When found his body was frozen, and near by were the carcasses of his two ponies, which he killed before taking his own life that he might ride on their spirits to the happy hunting grounds.

The body was brought into camp and for longer than a week the Indians have been in a great state of excitement. According to the custom of western red men, they inflicted cruel and barbarous punishment upon their bodies during the lamentation over their dead. For a week these practices have been in progress at the various Cree camps in the vicinity of Havre.

The prominence of the dead chief by birth and that of his squaw, who is a granddaughter of Sitting Bull, together with the sensational and unusual character of his taking off, has prolonged the lamentation until the Cree all through the Bear Paw mountains are very much exercised over the affair, and the medicine men who have been consulted predict the death of Bear-Afraid-of-the-Wolf as meaning



FOUND HIS FROZEN BODY.

that the Great Father will soon give the Cree Indians a land of their own. The dead chief was a descendant of White Bear, the famous Sioux after whom White Bear Lake, near St. Paul, was named.

Twelve years ago Bear met his wife, who is a descendant of Sitting Bull. They were married in the Judith mountains in June, 1890, with much pomp. Drifting for several years from place to place in northern Montana, Bear-Afraid-of-the-Wolf made love to many other Indian maidens, and this caused an estrangement which led to his separation from his squaw. There was but one true love for him, and that was the fair Moonbeam of a band of wandering Crees that Uncle Sam had refused to succor, and who had been ordered by an officer from Fort Assiniboine to return to the Canadian possessions from whence they came. But Moonbeam had another lover—one of her own tribesmen. Bear was repulsed and rode out of camp a week ago with his two ponies. The searching party three days later found his frozen body, near those of his ponies, with the side of his head torn off with a charge of shot.

**Flight of the Highlanders.** Richard Harding Davis relates this incident, which happened while he was acting as a correspondent during the English-Boer war: A regiment of Scotch Highlanders, noted for their bravery in action, during the heat of one battle were suddenly seen to break ranks and run in all directions. The officers as well shared in the stampede, and apparently made no attempt to urge the men under them into line. Their behaviour was a surprise to everybody on the field, and after the thing was over the colonel of the regiment was summoned before Gen. Roberts. "What the devil was the matter with your regiment?" asked "Bobs." "Well," replied the colonel, "there is not a man in the regiment afraid of a Dutchman's bullet, but we were steered into a field literally infested with wasps' nests, and you know, general, we were all in kilts and with bare legs."

**Wanted No Feels.** "Have you got what they call tablefy hote dinners at this eatin'-house?" asked the man in the bearskin overcoat. "No, sir." "Stepping to the door, he beckoned to somebody on the outside. "Come in, Mandy," he said. "They eat in English here."—Chicago Tribune

## HONOR PUPILS.

## NAVY HILL SCHOOL.

6th Grammar—Elvira Anderson, Fannie Cowan.

5th Grammar—Miss Rosa B. Brooks, teacher: Junius Brown, Maggie Miles, Coralace Norrell.

4th Grammar—Miss Lena V. Isham, teacher: Lillie Fox, Ida Coleman, Goldie Young.

3rd Grammar—Parthenia Lee.

1st Grammar—Annie Burrows, James Ware, Ida Griffith, William Goodman.

8th Primary—Miss M. L. Jasper, teacher: Ernest Johnson, Christopher Kemp, Joseph Richardson, Jessie Burrows, Leanna Davenport, Maggie Young.

4th Primary, 51—Miss Earlie A. Lee, teacher: Willie Brown, William Kersy, Albert V. Norrell, Jr., Oscar Watkins, Mary Armstead, Pearl Banks, Annie Brown, Josephine Brown, Alise Booker, Virgie Booker, Lillian Frayser, Elsie Holman, Lily Hamilton, Mattie Norrell, Gertrude Price, Rosa Page, Lottie Wershington, Bertha Wallace, Anne Williams.

6th Primary, 50—Miss Virginia B. Harper, teacher: Bert Cooby, Edloe Ward, Mary Jackson.

5th Primary, 1—Miss M. L. Tinsley, teacher: Joseph Brooks, Marshall Daniels, David James, Jacob Pride, Maria Harper, Annie Sherman.

5th Primary, 2—Willie Burrows, Henry Johnson, Mary Cabell, Lena Reid, Jane House, Emmett Brimage, Sarah Carter, Marie Fisher.

4th Primary, 1—Miss M. E. Morris, teacher: Frank Branch, Leroy Raglan, Sterling Vaughan.

4th Primary, 2—Miss S. E. Brown, teacher: Willie Arvin, Sherman Brown, Willie Grandison, Motier Lewis, Marie Bolling, Florence Bryant, Bessie Booker, Irene Gregory, Eliza Gaitor, Nellie Owens, Rosalie Primus, Adell Richardson.

3rd Primary, 1—Miss S. E. Brown, teacher: Frank Mason, Ada Boisseau, Hannah Hicks, Edith Hill, Alma Smith.

3rd Primary, 2—Miss M. C. Trice, teacher: Ruth V. Cooper, Beatrice Edmunds, Iantha Hudson, Nita Hope, William Mason, Robert Pratt, Martha Jonathan, Aurelia Edmunds.

2nd Primary, 1—Miss M. C. Trice, teacher: Magnolia Booker, Florence Hunt, Irene Minor, Fannie Nightingale, Maggie Fountain, Ruth Scott, Julia Taylor, John Beale, Willie Hunt, Samuel Morgan, Mary Terry, Mary Trinton, Mary Harris, Alice Myers, Pearl Stovall, Alice Fanner, Wesley Graves, Clarence Friend, Cornelius Minor, James Wells, Lewis Woodridge.

2nd Primary, 2—Miss J. I. Stephens, teacher: Haywood Cabell, Joseph Cabell, James Eaton, Willie Harris, Henry Hill, Wilbur Ward, David Woodson, Ruth Cary, Mattie Grammer, Mattie Harris, Ethel Howell, Blanche Hurte, Marion Payne, Lucy Pride, Julia Staton, Era Talley.

## MOORE SCHOOL.

6th Grammar—Lila Mines, Henrietta Page.

5th Grammar—Walter Johnson, Marie Allen, Alice Johnson, Mattie King, Inez Williams.

4th Grammar—Robert Cole, Peter Hudson, George Tazewell, Helen Branch, Elsie Carter, Adeline Dawson, William Green, Emma Lively, Bessie Robinson, Ollie Frayser.

2nd Grammar—Alfred Satterwhite, Ellen Brown, Arnell Frayser, Leon Holmes, Juanita Jones, Celia Minor, Alice Mosby, Aretha Randolph.

1st Grammar—Katie Cox, Mary Bland, Peyton Fox, Cornelius Steward, Henry Johnson, Cornelius Gray.

8th Primary—Nettie Fox, Mary Chandler, Katie Booker, Ethel Shelton, Geneva Trent, Albert Martin.

7th Primary—Odious Robinson, Esther Young, Clara Johnson, Robert Williams, Norma Goodman, Alma Lewis, William Collins, Chas. Carey.

6th Primary (a)—Ernest Branch, Leroy Johnson, John Jackson, Daisy Neal, Ida Collins, Sallie Ellis, Mary Kirkpatrick, Nellie Trent.

6th Primary (b)—Rebecca Branch, Rosa A. Jackson.

5th Primary—Mary Hurte, Annabel Meade, Minnie Jasper, Leroy Frazier.

4th Primary (a)—Carrie Tinsley, Ida Booker.

4th Primary (b)—Serlestone Bolling, Leroy Johnson, Harvey Page, James Randolph, Mary Carter, Bettie Mayo, Margaret Richardson, Leanna Reynolds.

3rd Primary (a)—Henry Booker, Jas. Booker, George Harris, Joseph Shelton, Melissa Byrd.

3rd Primary (b)—Willie Lyons, Sam Mayo, Isaac Randolph, Mary Coles, Louise Johnson, Helen Mosby, Maggie Sully, Rosa Thomas, Maggie West, Sarah Wyatt.

2nd Primary (a)—Addie Glover, Alice Green, Lucy Hilton, Eddie Randolph, Waverly Jackson, Harvey Pierce, Joe Jones, Lillie Walker, Ada Booker.

2nd Primary (b)—Alexander Washington, Stanley Williams, Arthur Barcroft, Willie Jackson, Charlie Roach, Grace Branch, Helen Burke, Croola Car, Willie Ellett, Annie Green, Gladys Mickey, Hermione Toombs, Sallie Williams.

1st Primary—William Evans, Calvin, Hiley Richardson, Flanigan Randolph, Charles Taylor, Floyd Thornton, Jeremiah Winston, Walter Watson, Cora Baker, Ethel Brackett, Mary Farrah, Celestine Lee, Laura Price, Catherine Pleasants, Florence Shelton, Bertie Seay, Maria Wormley, Junius Jeffries.

## BAKER SCHOOL.

Week Ending March 21st, 1902.

6th Grammar, Mrs. R. D. Bowser, teacher: Belle Morris, Roscoe Mitchell, Mary Johnson.

5th Grammar, Miss M. L. Chiles, teacher: Viola Gray, Jennie Jackson, Mattie Underwood, Mozelle Wells.

3rd Grammar, Mr. D. Webster Davis,

teacher—Mary Daggett, Gwendola Brown, Tamar Carter, Georgie Gray, Addie West, Ollie Green, Mabel Smith, Mary Lewis, Earnestine Wells, Mary Nelson.

2nd Grammar, Miss Vera A. Holmes, teacher—Bessie Edwards, Rebecca Mitchell, Mamie Johnson.

1st Grammar, Miss M. H. Smith, teacher—Azalia Storrs, Susie Smith, Eva Fisher, Thomas Knight, John Brown.

8th Primary, Miss L. J. Corbin, teacher—Cornelius Gaston, Theresea Chiles, Ida Pearson, Percy Stowe, Wyndham Carter, Lorenzo Johnson, Lewis Richardson, Marie Bachus, Mattie Dawson, Lelia Calloway, Frances Giles, Leora Smith.

7th Primary—Miss C. F. Brown, teacher—Preston Burrell, Nellie Jones, Ethel Jackson, Florence Storrs.

6th Primary, Miss M. C. Tinsley, teacher—Charles Gray, John Pierson, Maggie Farrar, Bettie Fitzhugh, Hermione Jackson, Bertha Lee, Mamie Lewis, Cassie Nelson, Mabel West, Bernetta Young.

5th Primary, Miss M. E. Allen, teacher—Willie Dabney, Walter Wilson, James Walker, Viola Washington, Erna Benjamin, Katie Gilpin, Bessie Hodge, Esther James, Malneen Jackson, Armeta, Stokes, Helen Edwards.

4th Primary, Miss M. R. Crump, teacher—Merced Burrell, John Harris, Richard Jackson, Maria Burke, Marie Brown, Sallie Gayles, Lelia Giles, Sarah Sydney.

3rd Primary, Miss E. V. Trent, teacher—Henry Anderson, Thurlow Jones, Jack Wyche, Stanley Wilkerson, Ira Deane, George Brown, Chas. Storrs, John Sheppard, Charles Brannon, Frank Cephas, Edward Eldridge, Percy Vaughan, Hazel Anderson, Erma Holmes, Lizzie Harris, Ethel Minor, Alberta Smith, Lenette Stewart, Kate Brown, Louise Christian, Ross Scott, Gussie Daggett, Mabel Lipscomb, Sarah Cox, Elmona Cox, Lula Eggleston.

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